

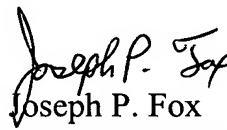
**REMARKS**

Non-elected claims 7-15 and 18-21 are cancelled. Examination of elected claims 1-6 and 16-17 is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney if an interview would expedite prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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